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SERIAL NO.: 10/081,831

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FILING DATE: 2/21/02

ART UNIT:

TITLE: INFORMATION REPRODUCTION SCHEME ADAPTED FOR
PRINTING, HAVING REDUCED DEMAND ON THE SYSTEM BUS

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 770P010695-US (PAR)

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Dear Sir:

The following information is being disclosed to the Patent and Trademark Office as information that may be material to the examination of the above-identified patent application.

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Pursuant to Sections 609 and 707.05(b) of the MPEP and 37 CFR 1.97-1.99, the undersigned is bringing the following co-pending U.S. patent applications, of which he is

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- (1) U.S. Serial No.: 10/081,578
Filing Date: 2/22/02
Title: FRANKING SYSTEM USER INTERFACE
Assignee: Ascom Hasler Mailing Systems, Inc.
Attorney Docket No.: 770P010635-US (PAR)
- (2) U.S. Serial No.: 10/081,576
Filing Date: 2/22/02
Title: AN INTERNET FRANKING SYSTEM
Assignee: Ascom Hasler Mailing Systems, Inc.
Attorney Docket No.: 770P010688-US (PAR)
- (3) U.S. Serial No.: 10/081,316
Filing Date: 2/21/02
Title: CONFIGURATION ENABLEMENT OF FRANKING SYSTEM
Assignee: Ascom Hasler Mailing Systems, Inc.
Attorney Docket No.: 770P010689-US (PAR)
- (4) U.S. Serial No.: 10/081,318
Filing Date: 2/21/02
Title: SEPARATOR
Assignee: Ascom Hasler Mailing Systems, Inc.
Attorney Docket No.: 770P010685-US (PAR)
- (5) U.S. Serial No.: 10/081,317
Filing Date: 2/21/02
Title: REMOVABLE DATA CARRIER
Assignee: Ascom Hasler Mailing Systems, Inc.
Attorney Docket No.: 770P010701-US (PAR)
- (6) U.S. Serial No.: 10/081,263
Filing Date: 2/21/02
Title: LETTER FLOW CONTROL
Assignee: Ascom Hasler Mailing Systems, Inc.
Attorney Docket No.: 770P010693-US (PAR)

(7) U.S. Serial No.: 10/081,293
Filing Date: 2/21/02
Title: ACCESS TO LETTER PATH
Assignee: Ascom Hasler Mailing Systems, Inc.
Attorney Docket No.: 770P010679-US(PAR)

(8) U.S. Serial No.: 10/081,276
Filing Date: 2/21/02
Title: TAPE FEED FOR POSTAGE METER
Assignee: Ascom Hasler Mailing Systems, Inc.
Attorney Docket No.: 770P010683-US(PAR)

(9) U.S. Serial No.: 10/081,270
Filing Date: 2/21/02
Title: COMMUNICATION SYSTEM FOR FRANKING SYSTEM
Assignee: Ascom Hasler Mailing Systems, Inc.
Attorney Docket No.: 770P010638-US(PAR)

(10) U.S. Serial No.: 10/081,262
Filing Date: 2/21/02
Title: LETTER MOISTENER
Assignee: Ascom Hasler Mailing Systems, Inc.
Attorney Docket No.: 770P010686-US(PAR)

(11) U.S. Serial No.: 10/081,277
Filing Date: 2/21/02
Title: STACKER
Assignee: Ascom Hasler Mailing Systems, Inc.
Attorney Docket No.: 770P010687-US(PAR)

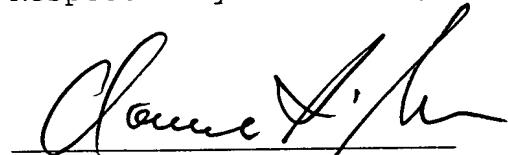
(12) U.S. Serial No.: 10/081,278
Filing Date: 2/21/02
Title: MODULAR FRANKING SYSTEM
Assignee: Ascom Hasler Mailing Systems, Inc.
Attorney Docket No.: 770P010633-US(PAR)

(13) U.S. Serial No.: 10/081,271
Filing Date: 2/21/02
Title: HOUSEKEEPING STATION
Assignee: Ascom Hasler Mailing Systems, Inc.
Attorney Docket No.: 770P010682-US(PAR)

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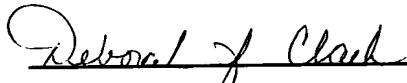
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